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FM AMEMBASSY DUBLIN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6184

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SUBJECT: FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

REF. DUBLIN 1641 & 1642

1. RE TELECONS, WE HAVE CONSULTED WITH OTHER MISSIONS IN DUBLIN REGARDING LEVELS OF REPRESENTATION AT PRESIDENT CHILDERS FUNERAL THURSDAY, NOV 21. AS OF 1300 HOURS LOCAL, NONE OF THE WESTERN COUNTRIES HAD COMMUNICATED THEIR DECISIONS TO DUBLIN ALTHOUGH GENERAL CONSENSUS IS THAT REPRESENTATION WILL BE AT A HIGH LEVEL. IN HIS SHORT TENURE AS PRESIDENT, CHILDERS MADE STATE VISIT TO BELGIUM AND ONLY LAST WEEK ACCEPTED INVITATION TO VISIT FRANCE IN RETURN FOR CHIRAC VISIT TO IRELAND.

2. IN VIEW PRESIDENT CHILDERS DESCENDED FROM TWO PRESIDENTS ADAMS THROUGH HIS AMERICAN MOTHER, AND OTHER REASONS WITH WHICH DEPARTMENT IS FAMILIAR, I URGE DEPARTMENT'S CONSIDERATION US BE REPRESENTED AT SIMILAR HIGH LEVEL.

3. IF SPEAKER ALBERT UNABLE TRAVEL, I WOULD HOPE THAT MRS. GERALD FORD MIGHT HEAD DELEGATION IF HER HEALTH PERMITS. IF NOT, I SUGGEST CHIEF JUSTICE BURGER, OR MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS OF SENATE AND HOUSE.

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4. AS TO OTHER MEMBERS OF DELEGATION, I WOULD
SUGGEST CONSIDERATION OF FOLLOWING.

MRS. ROSE KENNEDY;
FORMER AMB. WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT III;
FORMER UNDER SECRETARY ROBERT D. MURPHY;
GEORGE MEANY;
PRESIDENT WILLIAM J. MCGILL OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY;
INDUSTRIALISTS JOHN A. MULCAHY, HENRY FORD II, J. PETER GRACE;
FINANCIERS DAVID ROCKEFELLER, WALTER B. WRISTON,
WALTER J.P. CURLEY JR;
FORMER SPEAKER JOHN MCCORMACK;
PROFESSOR ZEPH STEWART, MASTER OF LOWELL HOUSE, HARVARD
UNIVERSITY, WHO IS MARRIED TO DIANA CHILDERS, NIECE OF
PRESIDENT CHILDERS, AND IS BROTHER OF MR. JUSTICE POTTER
STEWART OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

5. EMBASSY WILL FORWARD DETAILS OF FUNERAL AS SOON AS
RECEIVED. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE ANY INFO AVAILABLE ON
TOTAL NUMBERS COMING ASAP.
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